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☐ Application: \_\_\_\_\_  
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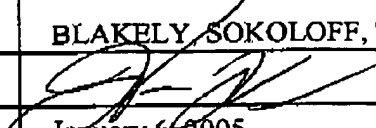
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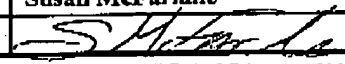
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	First Named Inventor	Ronen Zohar	
	Art Unit	2124	
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Independent Claims	$\frac{6}{6}$	$\frac{0}{0}$	x	200.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent					

Large Entry		Small Entry		Erg. Description
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1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20
1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	380	2203	180	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid
1204	300	2204	150	**Rescued independent claims over original patent
1205	300	2205	150	*Rescued claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
2063	130	2053	130	Non-English specification
1251	120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month
1252	450	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month
1253	1,020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month
1254	1,590	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month
1255	2,160	2255	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month
1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal
1402	500	2402	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
1403	1,000	2403	500	Request for oral hearing
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1480	130	2480	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
1808	180	1808	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
1009	790	1009	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.128(a))
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))

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1401	500
1402	500
1403	1,000
1451	1,510
1460	130
1807	50
1806	180
1809	790
1810	790

Other fee (specify)

**Small Entity**

Fee Code	Fee (\$)
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2403	500
2451	1,510
2460	130
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office action of October 6, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.